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SUBJECT: MOZAMBIQUE MEDIA COVERAGE OF SECRETARY'S TRIP

1. LOCAL DAILY NOTICIAS SEPTEMBER 17 CONTINUED FRONT-PAGE COVERAGE OF SECRETARY'S TRIP. IN ARTICLE ENTITLED "NOTHPNG NEW IN KISSINGER'S PROPOSALS" NOTICIAS GIVES DETAILED TREATMENT PRESIDENT NYERERE'S REMARKS EXPRESSING PESSIMISM ABOUT THE CHANCES FOR A PEACEFUL SOLUTION OF THE SOUTHERN AFRICAN CONFLICTS. ARTICLE NOTED THAT NYERERE MADE TWO POINTS DURING A PRESS CONFERENCE WHICH "EMBARRASSED" THE AMERICANS: FIRST, THAT THE AFRICANS WOULD CONTINUE TO ACCEPT ARMS FROM THE SOVIETS AND SECOND, THAT THE PRESENCE OF CUBANS IN CENTRAL AND SOUTHERNAFRICA SHOULD NOT BE VIEWED AS SINISTER. NYERERE AFFIRMED TO AN AMERICAN JOURNALIST THAT "I THINK YOUR OBSESSION ABOUT CUBANS IS INCREDIBLE. CUBA CANNOT COMPETE WITH THE U.S., THE MOST POWERFUL COUNTRY THE WORLD HAS EVER SEEN. WHY HAVEN'T WE SPOKEN OF U.S. TROOPS IN EUROPE?"

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2. SECRETARY'S ARRIVAL IN LUSAKA IS REPORTED IN SECOND PART OF ARTICLE TOGETHER WITH A BRIEF NOTED THAT BOTSWANA FOREIGN MINISTER MOGWE STATED TO PRESS THAT HE WAS OPPOSED TO ANY GUARANTEES OF MINORITY RIGHTS IN RHODESIA BECAUSE THIS WOULD ONLY PERPETUATE THE PRIVILEGES OF THE MINORITY WHITES WHO EXPLOIT ZIMBABWE.

3. SAME ISSUE OF NOTICIAS CONTAINS FULL PAGE INTERVIEW WITH OLIVER TAMBO, PRESIDENT OF ANC OF SOUTH AFRICA. TAMBO'S REMARKS CONTAIN USUAL MARXIST RHETORIC ABOUT CLASS STRUGGLE IN SOUTH AFRICA. TAMBO CONDEMNED KISSINGER-VORSTER MEETINGS AS MEETINGS "BETWEEN TWO IMPERIALIST REPRESENTATIVES WITH COMMON OBJECTIVES-HOW TO BETTER SERVE IMPERIALISM IN THIS SPUTATION." TAMBO LAUDED MOZAMBIQUE AND THE FRONT- LINE PRESIDENTS AND DESCRIBED SOUTH AFRICA STRATEGY AS TWOFOLD: TO CREATE BANTUSTANS AND A BLACK BOURGEOISIE. TAMBO STATED ANC PLANS COMBAT THIS BY "ELIMINATING OBSTACLES TO THE ARMED STRUGGLE." DE PREE

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